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FM AMEMBASSY DAKAR

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SUBJECT: AMERICAN TOURISTS: SENEGAL

REF: 76 DAKAR 4907

1. CORRESPONDENCE EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED FROM ALMA MOLOCK, BARTLETT TRAVEL SERVICE, 1525 WALNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA (TEL. 215-665-8500), INDICATES THAT GROUP OF ABOUT 40 AMERICAN TOURISTS DEPARTS MARCH 12 FOR SIX-DAY VISIT TO SENEGAL. SIMILAR GROUP ORGANIZED BY BARTLETT FIRM PARTICIPATED IN 1976 CHARTERS FROM NEW YORK TO DAKAR. MOLOCK INDICATES THAT GOS DELEGATION GENERALE AU TOURISM IS MAKING ALL PROGRAM ARRANGEMENTS.

2. REQUEST THAT DEPARTMENT PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO MRS. MOLOCK BEFORE DEPARTURE:

QUOTE. IN RESPONSE TO YOUR REQUEST, EMBASSY HAS SUGGESTED TO DELEGATION GENERALE AU TOURISME THAT MISSION OFFICERS PROVIDE BRIEFING TO INTERESTED MEMBERS OF YOUR PARTY AT 10:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16. PLEASE CONTACT EMBASSY ON ARRIVAL TO FINALIZE ARRANGEMENTS. YOU INDICATE THAT YOU HAVE INITIATED REQUEST THROUGH SENEGALESE TOURIST OFFICE IN NEW YORK AND AMBASSADOR COULBARY FOR INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT SENGHOR BY KYW-TV OF PHILADELPHIA. EMBASSY NOTES THAT YOU HAVE ALSO EXPRESSED DESIRE THAT OTHER MEMBERS OF TOUR GROUP BE PRESENT FOR INTERVIEW. WHILE MISSION HAS NOT BEEN DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN REQUEST FOR UNCLASSIFIED

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PRESIDENTIAL AUDIENCE, OFFICIAL OF DELEGATION GENERALE ADVISED EMBASSY THAT HE SAW NO RPT NO POSSIBILITY WHATSOEVER THAT PRESIDENTIAL MEETING COULD BE ARRANGED FOR TOURIST GROUP, WHETHER OR NOT TV INTERVIEW IS SCHEDULED. EMBASSY'S EXPERIENCE CONFIRMS THAT SUCH A MEETING WOULD BE HIGHLY UNUSUAL. TOURIST AUTHORITIES WILL PRESUMABLY BE ABLE TO ADVISE FURTHER ON POSSIBILITY OF TV INTERVIEW AFTER GROUP ARRIVES, BUT EMBASSY EMPHASIZES

THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD OTHER MEMBERS OF TOUR GROUP
BE LED TO EXPECT PRESIDENTIAL AUDIENCE. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE
KNOWING NUMBERS AND NAMES OF INDIVIDUALS IN TV CREW WHO WOULD
PARTICIPATE IF INTERVIEW WERE SCHEDULED. UNQUOTE.
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